

Applicant: Gordon et al.
Application No.: Not Yet Known

REMARKS

Examination is requested based upon the amendments made via this Preliminary Amendment.

The claims have been amended to eliminate multiple dependencies and to correct a minor typographical error. Also, the Abstract is reproduced on a separate sheet and submitted herewith. No new matter is added.

Early consideration and allowance of pending claims 1 - 18, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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